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Mr. W. Fishell
Economic Adviser
Chief of The Michigan State University Group
Rue Pasteur 137,
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Dear Mr. Fishell,

After a very pleasant trip lasting two-months
I returned safely to Tokyo recently.

I should like to express my sincere thanks to
you for the favors you thoughtfully rendered to me in Saigon,
especially for your kindness in sharing your busy time to see
me and in providing me with the benefit of many valuable and
confidential comments on the economic relations between Viet
Nam and Japan.

I do hope modestly to contribute, as a member of
our bank, to the promotion of the economic tie between the
two countries, and our bank being the only one in Japan
specializing in foreign trade, places us in a fitting position
to foster mutual prosperity and goodwill.

It was indeed a pleasure to see you again in Saigon,
since we met in Tokyo last year, I certainly look forward to
your next visit to Japan, which I hope will be before long
and that you will let me know when I can see you here.

Permit me, please, to ask for your continued assis-
tance to our representative office in Saigon.

Yours very sincerely,

T. Ihara
Takashi Ihara
Managing Director